IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1 of the Specification, immediately following BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION, kindly insert the following additional Paragraph:

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The invention claimed herein relates generally to hydrostatically driven agricultural vehicles, and more specifically to a braking system for such vehicles that interconnects the normal brakes with the hydrostatic pump to more effectively slow or stop the vehicle.

On page 3 of the Specification, kindly amend Paragraph [0009] as follows:

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[0009] These and other objects are obtained by providing a mechanism that interconnects the service brakes of a hydrostatically driven tractor with the hydrostatic pump to more effectively slow or stop the tractor, ~~particularly~~ for example when towing a trailer. The service brakes are connected to a control servo on the hydrostatic pump such that actuation of the service brakes will destroke the pump, eliminating or reducing the torque of the pump as a factor to be overcome in slowing or stopping movement of the tractor. Both mechanical and electronic versions of the mechanism are effective in slowing and stopping the tractor ~~disclosed~~.

Kindly add the following new Paragraph following Paragraph [0022]:

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In the embodiments shown, the brake pedal, bell crank and master cylinder (or the brake pedal, bell crank and potentiometer) may be referred to as a "sensing device". The cartridge valve integral with hydraulic pump control servo (or the programmable microprocessor) may be referred to as a "control device". The cable mechanism (or wires) may be referred to as a "signal transfer device", and the tension spring may be referred to as a "return device".